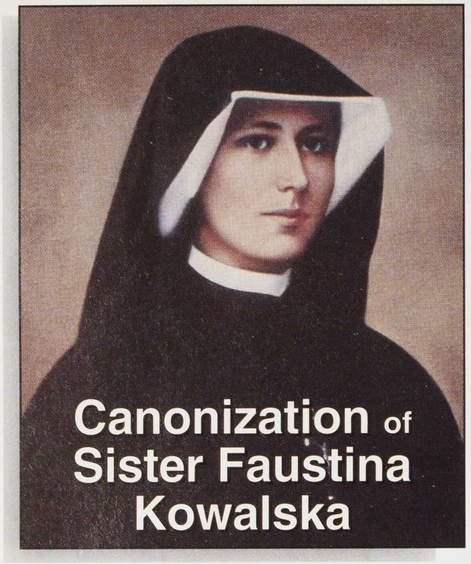

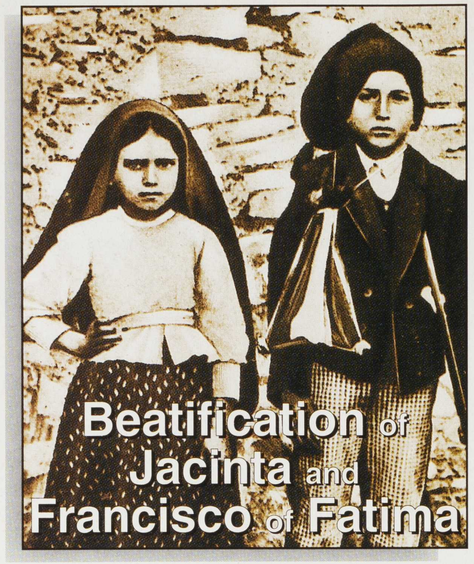

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Canonization Pilgrimage Rome / Poland Extension

April 24-May 1* with optional extension

Be in St. Peter's Square for the Canonization of Sister Faustina — expected to occur on the day Our Lord revealed to her as "Mercy Sunday."

Pilgrimage also includes:

- Public Audience with the Holy Father.
- Basilica of St. Peter, Basilica of St. Paul.
- Vatican Museum & Sistine Chapel.
- Basilicas and Catacombs.

Optional Extension to Poland to May 6:

- Czestochowa for Mass at Jasna Gora.
- Sites from the life of Sister Faustina.

Spiritual Director: Fr. Dan Papineau, MIC

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Beatification Pilgrimage Fatima / Lourdes

May 10-18*

Attend the beatification of Francisco and Jacinta in Fatima expected on May 13 — the 83rd anniversary of the Blessed Mother's first appearance to them and Sr. Lucia.

Pilgrimage also includes:

- Walking tour of Fatima, which includes the Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima.
- Trip to Avila, home to St. Teresa.
- Visit the birthplace of St. Bernadette, to whom Our Lady appeared.
- Candlelight procession in Lourdes.

Spiritual Director: A Marian priest

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Marian Pilgrimages Include:

- Roundtrip Air from New York.
- Superior Tourist/First Class Hotel accommodations w/ private bath.
- Meals per Itinerary.
- Sight-seeing by Deluxe Motorcoach.
- Full-time Escort.
- Private daily Mass.

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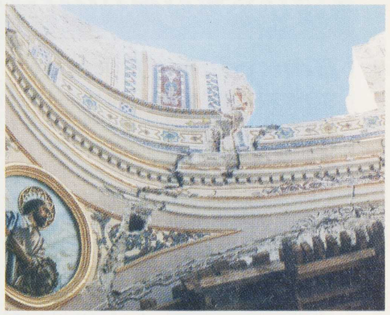

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